MYSORE STATE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE STATE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 5TH JANUARY 1963.

A total of 7 attacks with nil deaths from Plague was reported from the Taluks of Mulabagal and Bangarpet of Kolar District, during the week, *as against* 16 attacks with 1 death in the previous week Comparative figures for the corresponding week during 1961 and 1962 were 6 attacks 1 death and 9 attacks with 2 deaths respectively.

A total of 2 attacks with 1 death from Small-pox was reported from the taluk of Chitradurga, *as against* 27 attacks with 6 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year

A total of 6 attacks with 3 deaths from Cholera was reported from the Taluks of Lingasugur, Gangawati (Raichur District), Davanagere City (Chitradurga District), Bellary (Bellary District), during the week, *as against* 14 attacks with 6 deaths reported during the corresponding week of the last year

A total of nil attacks with nil deaths from K F. disease was reported from Shimoga District, *as against* nil attacks with nil deaths reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The State remained free from Yellow fever, Relapsing fever, Infectious Hepatitis and Influenza in epidemic form, *as against* nil attacks with nil deaths during the corresponding week of the previous year

The total mortality for Bangalore Corporation amounted to 252 (99 in Hospitals) for the week, *as against* 218 (81 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 14 2 (8·6 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated), *as against* 12 3 (7 7 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year Classified according to causes of deaths, 5 were due to other fevers, 26 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, and 221 due to all other causes *as against* 10 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 7 due to consumption and 201 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Mysore City amounted to 95 (18 in hospitals) for the week, *as against* 74 (39 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 19 4 (15 7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) *as against* 15 1 (7 1 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 24 were due to other fevers, 9 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 6 due to Consumption and 56 due to all other causes, *as against* 1 due to Typhoid, 11 due to other fevers, 4 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 3 due to consumption and 55 due to all other causes, reported during the corresponding week of the previous year

The total mortality for K.G.F City amounted to 28 (4 in hospitals) for the week, *as against* 29 (5 in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 10·0 (8 5 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) *as against* 10 3 (8 5 excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year Classified according to causes of deaths, 1 was due to other fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 2 due to consumption and 24 due to all other causes, *as against* 1 due to other fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 1 due to consumption and 26 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year.

The total mortality for Belgaum City amounted to 30 (18 in hospitals) for the week *as against* 17 (nil in hospital) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 11 8 (4 7 excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) *as against* 6 7 (nil excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year. Classified according to causes of deaths, 1 was due to Malaria, 2 due to other fevers, 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa, 1 due to Consumption and 25 due to all other causes, *as against* 1 due to Malaria 1 due to Typhoid, 3 due to other fevers and 12 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year

The total mortality for Mangalore City amounted to 9 (nil in hospital) for the week, *as against* 9 (nil in hospitals) during the corresponding week of the previous year, giving a calculated death rate of 3·3 (nil excluding hospital deaths) per mille of population (mid-year estimated) *as against* 3 2 (nil excluding hospital deaths) for the corresponding week of the last year Classified according to causes of deaths, 9 were due to all other causes, *as against* 1 due to Dysentery and Diarrhœa and 8 due to all other causes reported during the corresponding week of the previous year

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